

LATEST INFLUENZA RE- PORTS FROM PENNA.

(By Associated Press.)

Harrisburg, Dec. 3.—Several "flare ups" of influenza were reported to the state department of health late today from various small communities in the state. The city of Erie still continues to be the largest town where the epidemic shows no distinct sign of subsiding. Outbreaks of influenza were reported from Lock Haven and Jersey Shore and also in Northern Cambria county. Smethport and Betula in McKean county also have an increased number of new cases and the state department of health has sent doctors and nurses. A fresh outbreak is reported at Shaffers town. Palmyra and Annyville are also in the grip of the epidemic and the local boards of health have again imposed drastic closing restrictions.

It was reported late today that the influenza situation in the city of Johnstown is still serious. Conditions in Wilkes-Barre are improving slowly.

The number of deaths from influenza and pneumonia throughout the state since October now exceeds 47,000.

Camp Crane Soldier Dead.

Private Joseph Yabner, a Camp Crane soldier, died of influenza at the Allentown Hospital. Undertaker Wonderly sent the body to his home at Scottdale yesterday.